### THE WAR LOAN A SUCCESS.

INDICATIONS THAT IT WILL BE SUB-SCRIBED FOUR TIMES OFER.

Iwo Syndicates Offer to Take the Entire \$200,000,000, or \$6 Much Thereof as May Not Be Taken by the People Contrally—No Part of the Losu Offered to Foreigners WASHINGTON, June 15.—Secretary Gage gave out the following statement this afternoon re-

garding the war loan; 'If there was ever any question about the encess of the new 3 per cent, war loan, it has been set at rest by the way in which subscriplens are already beginning to come in at the Treasury Department. The assurance of the success of the loan, however, has been made absolutely certain by two propositions, each cornelar the entire present issue of \$200,000 .-000. The subscription of the National City Bank the Central Trust Company, and Vermilye & Co., made the day the loan was opened, was for any part of the total issue that should not be taken by the public. Another proposal was formulated the same day, covering the entire amount and coming from J. Pierpont Mergan and a number of associates. The spirit shown in that proposition is particularly praise worthy. It is set forth in a preamble to the proposition, which is as follows:

"Whereas, A bill to provide ways and means to mest war expenditures has been passed by Congress.

ind, "Whereas, It is the opinion of the undersigned that, although the amount offered will be largely overned it is essential that the Secretary should be assured of the absolute, unqualified success of the issue by an advance subscription of the entire

"Whereas, In the opinion of the undersigned, for the nurseas of carrying out these ends, a syndicate should be formed who shall agree in advance to sub-scribe at par for the whole amount of such issue, two hundred millions (\$200,000,000), or such part thereof as may not be subscribed for by the general public; "Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, agree to accent firm participation in any such syndicate to the

extent of the amounts set against our names.

"As you will notice by this preamble, the subscrib ers express the opinion that the loan will be sub-scribed for independently of this action on their part, and besides they have no wish to interfere in way with the popular character of the loan as desired by Congress and the Administration. Their only desire is that without any delay whatever the rament should be assured of the full amount asked for. The subscribers to the syndicate are as follows: J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York, \$20,000,000; Harvey Pick & Sons of New York, \$20,000,000; First National Bank of New York, \$20,000,000; Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, \$20,000,000; Kidder, Peabody & Co. of Boston, \$20,000,000; United States Trust Company of New York, \$10,000,000; Drevel & Co. of Philadelphia. \$10,000,000; A. Belmont & Co. of New York, \$10,000,000; Kuhn. Loeb & Co. of New York, \$10,000,000; National Park Bank of New York. \$10. \$10,000,000; American Exchange National Bank of New York, \$10,000,000; First National Bank of Cincinnati, \$10,000,000; the Philadelphia National Bank of Philadelphia, \$10,000,000; the Pounsylvania Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities

"On behalf of such syndicate we therefore subscribe at par for the whole amount of such issue, say \$200,000,000, or such part thereof as may not be subscribed by the general public. We will furnish you in due course with the signatures of the various subscribers for the amounts named respectively. J. P. MORGAN & Co."

The Secretary of the Treasury said to-day that no subscriptions for the new bonds would be received from citizens of foreign countries unless the subscriptions of our own citizens should fall below the amount called for. That was the only condition under which their subscriptions would be received. There must be some mistake in the report that Seligman Brothers, the fiscal agents of the United States in London, were soliciting subscriptions for the The Secretary said they had no autherity from this Government to do so.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 15,-The announce ment yesterday that the banks and trust companies of this city had applied for \$12,000,000 of the war loan, while only \$12,000 of the loan was asked for in small sums at the Sub-Treasury, seemed to give an impetus to the popular subscription to-day. In five hours more than \$100,000 was subscribed at the Sub-Treasury, all of it in unts of less than \$500. A throng of men and women besieged the Sub-Tressury before the doors were opened for business and formed At 2 o'clock there was no diminution in the

number of people, and the Sub-Treasury closed the office with the announcement that the supply of loan blanks was exhausted further subscriptions could be taker until the opening of business to-morrow. The Bub-Treasurer telegraphed to Washington for a supply of blanks.

After the Sub-Treasury closed the force o clerks remained on duty entering certificates, and were at work up to midnight. Prior to the announcement that a syndicate, of which the Philadelphia Bank is a member had been formed to take a loan the Philadelphia Trust Company offered to subscribe for \$10,000,000 and the Western Savings Funds for \$500,000.

#### EAGER TO GET WAR BONDS. Great Besire in Various Places to Purchas

the New Securities.

CHICAGO, June 15 .- Chicago banks are preparing to subscribe liberally to the new issue of war bonds. A majority of them will each take \$1,000,000 or upward. At least two of the banks have already made their subscriptions. The Illinois Trust and Savings Bank and th National Bank of the Republic of Chicago have each subscribed for \$1,000,000. While a number of the banks have not yet made their aub scriptions, they say they will do so and that they will not be less than \$1,000,000 each. They will probably be over that amount.

LOUISVILLE, Kr., June 15.-The American National Bank of this city has subscribed for \$800,000 of the war loan, and the Union National has subscribed for \$400,000, while other banks and the trust companies are also preparing to send in large subscriptions. Those from this city will amount to at least \$2,000,000. There is a very keen desire on the part of small investors to get these bonds, and men are sub

scribing for \$500 bonds or less in great numbers. Melville E. Ingalls, President of the Big Four, says that not less that \$1,000,000 will be taken in this way, but bankers do not agree with him Logan C. Murray of the American National Bank says he believes as much as \$50,000,000 will be taken by small investors. The country banks are also preparing to order in large quantitles, and report that farmers are anxious to in west their spare money in this way. Speculators believe that the bonds will go to 105.

Bosrow, June 15.-From the crush of would b subscribers for the bonds of the United States war loan at the Sub-Treasury this morning it would appear that the demand is likely to ex ceed the supply. The office was opened one-half hour earlier than the regular time to accommodate the crowd, and in twenty minutes every blank which had been sent Sub-Treasurer O'Neil was exhausted.

Altogether the blank applications amounted to \$20,000. More were telegraphed for at once by Sub-Treasurer O'Neil. The blanks that were used up so quickly this morning represent small amounts only, ranging from \$20 to \$500.

One banking firm has issued a circular to its customers advising them to buy up all the \$500 bends they can in the war loan, because in all probability the entire loan will be disposed of by popular subscription, and there will be ne oprtunity to obtain the bonds of the bankers

Bush for War Bonds at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, O., June 15.—There was a great growd of war bond subscribers at the Cincinnati Sub-Treasury this morning. With the authority received to-day to take subscriptions came 200 subscription blanks. These blanks were filled in a very short time and hundreds of persons were disappointed. Gen. Michael Ryan, the United States Sub-Tree-surer, telegraphed

FOUR OR FIFE TIMES \$200,000,000. Prodictions as to the Total Amount of the

Indications continued yesterday to point to a tremendous over-subscription for the 3 per cents. The opinion was generally expressed in the financial district that there would be practically no chance for the very large subscribers to get any of the bonds, as the smaller subscriptions, which will be favored in the allotments

will absorb the entire issue. Edward N. Gibbs, Treasurer of the New York Life Insurance Company, estimated yes-terday that the subscriptions might reach \$800,000,000. Other estimates from conservative sources made the total \$1,000,000,000. James Seligman of the firm of J. & W. Seligman & Co, said that he thought the entire \$200,

man & Co, said that he thought the entire \$200,000,000 of bonds would be absorbed by the
subscriptions of \$5,000 or under.
Seligman Brothers, the European correspondents of J. & W. Seligman & Co., began to receive subscriptions yesterday in London, Paris,
and Frankfort. They are the fiscal agents
abroad of the State and Navy departments. It
was said at the office of J. & W. Seligman &
Co. that the prime object of receiving subscriptions in Europe was to afford an opportunity to
Americans abroad to subscribe, but that subcriptions in general from foreign investors
were also being received, and that it was believed that foreign investors would fare as well
as American investors when the allotments
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The opinion that foreigners will be able to get the bonds on equal terms with citizens of this country was not held generally by bankers in the Wall street district, who pointed out that Secretary Gage's circular offering the bonds invites "subscriptions from the people of the United States" and that the War Revenue law stated distinctly that citizens of the United States should have the first opportunity to obtain the bonds. American banks and corporations, they said, would be construed to be citizens under the law, and that meant that allens would have no chance.

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The Chase National Bank has subscribed for \$5,000,000 of the bonds. The directors of the Illinois Central Railroad Company decided yesterday to subscribe for \$2,000,000.

Subscriptions were being received by banks, private banking concerns and trust commanies in all parts of the financial district. At the Sub-Treasury there was a much greater rush than on Thesialsy for subscription blanks. Of the \$500 subscriptions 547 were received.

#### TEA RUSHED FROM CANADA Sixteen Carlends Hurried Here from Montreal

MONTREAL, June 15.-The wholesale tea market of Montreal and Toronto has been

completely depleted of its surplus stock. Between 1 and 6 o'clock this morning sixteen carloads, aggregating 315,000 pounds of ten, were rushed out of Montreal so as to reach Malone, N. Y., and pass the Custom House before the new tax comes into effect at 12 o'clock to-night. As a result wholesale prices have risen from 2 to 3 cents a

NEWS FROM GEN. GOMEZ.

Magerly Walting to Join Forces with On Army and Give Battle to the Spaniards.

WASHINGTON, June 15 .- News has been received in Washington to-day of the recent movements of Gen. Gomez's army and his operations around La Reforma, near where his camp has been pitched for some time past. The informatien comes from a source in Gen. Garcia's camp. as it is with much difficulty that communica tion can be had with Gen. Gomez from sources outside the island, while Gen, Garcia is in position where he is in closest touch with the outside world. Messengers are, however, constantly operating between the two camps of the insurgent leaders, and each is fully and completely advised at all times of the movements and condition of the other. These messengers are expert Cuban scouts, who are familiar with the vast strip of country over which they travel.

In a recent message to Gen. Garcia from La Reforma, Gen. Gomez tells of the operations of his army for several weeks past. He says that he has had several skirmishes with columns of the Spanish, who have from time to time attacked his outposts, and who have on several occasions encountered small detachments of his army while out upon expeditions. The soldiers, he says, are all in good condition and eagerly waiting to join forces with those of the United States Army and engage the Spaniards in a battle. A considerable number of Spaniards have been captured by Gen. Gomez's soldiers, and these include twelve officers, who are now held by the Cuban Army as prisoners of war. He is anxious to have them exchanged, as they are continually a source of expense to the patriots in feeding and caring for them. Gen. Gomez also reports that many Spanish soldiers are from time to time deserting their army and Joining the have received no pay for a long time and have no prospects of getting any in the near future. Their demands are met with threats and reand are constantly in fear of their officers, who treat them in almost as cruel and heartless a manner as they have been known to treat Cu-

## LEE MAKES A SPEECH.

Talks to Southern Veteraus-Troops at a Confederate Monument Unveiling

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 15 .- At the grand reunion here of the Confederate veterans of Florida to-day, "Rally 'Round the Flag," "Dixie," and Gen. Lee carried off the bonors, When the convention opened the band played "Rally 'Round the Flag." The effect was elec-The ex-Confederates shouted the "rebel vell." threw up their hats, stood on the benches and swung their arms wildly. It was intensely patriotic and jexciting. Then came "Dixie." The reterans went wild. After addresses by Mayor Knight, Gen. Law of Bartow, and others, Gen Lee was called for. He hesitated a moment, but shouts of "Lee!" "Lee!" came from all over the hall.

Gen. Lee, clad in a buff summer uniform and black leggings, then came forward. His broad. rotund form and genial, ruddy face were much in contrast with those who had preceded him. His remarks were constantly applanded. He

"I did not come here to make a speech and I don't think you want to have one from me. [Laughter.] If I were to make a speech I might talk till the American flug flies over the ramparts of Havana and I couldn't say anything more than that I am glad to meet with these veterans. Such organizations as these, composed of men who wrote their names high n the roll of honor and fame, should be continued and the organizations of the North should do likewise. To-morrow the visitors to this city will witness a most wonderful cerenony, when soldiers from the North will assist at the unveiling of a Confederate monument. standing shoulder to shoulder with the soldiers of the South, and grandly illustrating the growth and glory of the American republic." [Wild cheers.]

A reception was then held, hundreds of vet erans crowding forward to shake Lee's hand. instructions were issued from the headquarters of Gen. Arnold to Brig. Gen. Burt to select empany from each regiment to report to Chief Marshal William Baya at 9 o'clock to-morros norning to participate in the parade connected with the unveiling of the Confederate monu ment. These detachments will be in battalion formation. Col. Moulton of the Second Illinois has been appointed to command the three battalions. The Second Illinois has been designated to head the line. The Second New Jersey Regiment has also contributed its drum corps for this occasion.

# tingo Expedition.

WASHINGTON, June 15.-Gen. H. C. Corbin. Adjutant-General of the army, received the following telegram to-night from Lieut, Col. Micher, Assistant Adjutant-General on the staff of Gen. Miles, dated Tampa:

"In reply to your telegram of yesterday, the Major-General commanding directs me to inform you that the following General officers accompanied Gen. Shafter: Major-Gen. Joseph Wheeler, Brig. Gens. J. F. Kent, H. F. Hawkins, S. S. Sumner, J. C. Bates, S. B. M. Young, H. W. Lawton, and A. R. Chaffee. Also Major-Gen. Breckinridge and Brig.-Gen. William Ludlow went as inspecting officer and engineer officer from headquarters of the army, respec-

tively."

THE DISABLED TEMERARIO.

She Can't Bron Float on the Paraguay Bive Till Repaired.

Recois! Cable Despatch to Tun fton. Asuncton, June 15,-The commission appointed by the Paraguayan Government to examine into the condition of the Spanish terpede gunboat Temerario, which has been lying here for some time, has reported that the vessel is in no condition to be moved. Certain parts of her machinery are defective, and to replace them new parts, which cannot be obtained here, must be procured from abroad.

No time was fixed by the commission for the vessel to leave the nort. The examination was made at the request of the American Consul here, Mr. J. N. Ruffin, who believed that the presence of the Temerario was a violation of Paraguay's neutrality.

NO "IMPERIAL POLICY." Public Protect in Fancuil Hall Against Exten-

alon of Our Domnin. BORTON, June 15 .- At 3 o'clock this afternoon here was held in Faneuil Hall a public meet ng, to protest against the so-called "imperial policy "of the United States. Many well-known men were in attendance, and strong addresses were made against the policy of territorial extension. The speakers declared that this is not a war for empire, but a war begun in the interest of humanity. They do not oppose the war, but merely the acquiring of outlying terri-

ory by this country. Gamaliel Bradford presided, and others who poke were H. M. Moorfield Story, the Rev. Charles G. Ames, and George E. McNeil. In his pening address Mr. Bradford summed up what he believed to be the chief evils of a war of conquest, saying:

"Our domestic difficulties will be neglected, or our attention must be divided. Our taxation must increase, our currency become more disordered, and, worse than all, the corruption which threatens us cannot fail to spread. When we undertake to govern subject peoples separated from us by half the world, let us remomber how we despoiled the Indians at our doors and how impossible it has been to keep that service pure.

"Such a system means great increase of wealth and fresh fields for corruption. It means the growth of a class little accustomed to respect the rights of their inferiors. It means the spoils system enormously extended. It means not only imperialism abroad, but imperialism at home. It is on the poor that the burdens of war inevitably fall and who reap the least share of its glories. Let us record our solemn rotest against any policy which will increase our burdens, enhance our difficulties, widen our responsibilities, and at the same time subvert

the principles upon which our liberty rests." Resolutions were adopted in substance that this must not be a war of conquest; that any annexation of territory would be a violation of the national faith pleased in the joint war resoution by Congress; that we would not be setting a good example to the nations of the world by a war of conquest; that it is our first duty to cure the evils in our own country. Before the meeting closed a conference committee was appointed to act in conjunction with representatives of other States throughout the country in a similar capacity.

THE OLIVETTE CAME BACK. She Left the Santiago Fleet at Sea-Will Overtake It.

TAMPA, June 15 .- The last transport of the Santiago expedition to leave was the steamship Olivette. She returned to her dock at Port Tampa at midnight for seventy tons of coal and to land a number of sick soldiers brought back from the transport fleet. The Olivette reported that late yesterday afternoon she left the fleet well at sea, going at the rate of about eight knots. After taking on coal the Olivette will rejoin the fleet. Among the sick which she brought back is

Lieut, Switzer of the Fourth Infantry, from Fort heridan. Six of the sick men have typhold fever. Yesterday the Olivette was made the military hospital ship of the Fifth Army Corps and put in command of Major A. H. Ap ple, who has as his assistants Lieut. D. C. Howard, L. W. Smith, and Acting Surgeons Parker, Winters, and Bird. Last night, while the steamship was taking on coal, painters were at work changing her color from black to white, with a green strake, according to the require ments of the Geneva Convention, and she is thus distinguished from the civil hospital ships un der the Red Cross organizations, which have a

Besides the surgeons, war correspondents, and oreign attachés there are on board the Olivette a Surgeon-General of the Norwegian Army and full staff of signal officers in charge of Capt. Stevens of the Signal Corps. On taking command of the Olivette Major Apple issued an order for all firearms of all correspondents and others on board to be turned over to the pursor. This was rejuctantly complied with and the pistels, rifles, &c., to the number of several hundred, were put into a huge sack and will be thrown overboard in the event of an attack by the enemy.

WASHINGTON, June 15 .- At 3 o'clock this afternoon officials said it was safe to assume that the transports bearing the troops of the Santiago expedition had left Rebecca Shoal, near Dry Tortugas, the rendezvous of the transports and convoys. There is no telegraph comnunication with Rebecca Shoal.

### NAVAL RESERVES LEAVE BROOKLYN shire Awaiting Orders.

The Second Battalion of the naval militia which was mustered in on Monday afternson, left the armory, Hanson place and Flatbush ave nue, Brooklyn, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, to begin its duties in the regular service. The departure of the battalion was witnessed by over a thousand people.

Five "divisions formed the battalion, and it was headed by Commander William H. Stayton and Licutenant-Commander Forshew. All the mon were attired in white canvas suits and brown leggings. The line of march was down Flatbush avenue to Fulton street and to the Borough Hall, where they were reviewed by President Grout. From there the battalion marched through Fulton street to the bridge, and thence to the training ship New Hampshire at the foot of East Twenty-eighth street. In the Third Division the mascot, an amber-

colored kitten, was carried by one of the men.

CARLIST ACTIVITY. Prominent Spaniards Arrive to Brussels for s Secret Meeting.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUS. LONDON, June 15 .- A despatch to the Chronicle from Brussels confirms the reports of the activity of the Carlists. It adds that several prominent Spaniards and a number of retired members of the Chamber of Deputies and mill tary officers recently arrived in Brussels from Spain to attend a secret meeting of the Carlists

Civil Engineer White to Se Court-Martialied WASHINGTON, June 15 .- Civil Engineer U. S. G. White of the navy has been ordered to the New York Navy Yard to prepare himself for trial by court-martial. The recent trial of Civil Engineer Menocal developed in the defence of the latter the charge that Mr. White was on duty at Brooklyn during the absence of Mr. Menocal, and the inference was that Mr. White was partly responsible for the alleged defects in construction of timber dry dock No. 3. Engineer White has been on waiting orders in Ohio.

Spanish Steamers Bringing Mails from B

Special Cubic Desputch to THE SUR Madrid, June 15,-It is said that Spanish steamers which regularly ply between the Philippine Islands and Labuan carry despatches for Madrid. The Americans at Manila are not aware of this,

HOBSON TO BE REWARDED.

THE PRESIDENT DECIDES TO AD-VANCE BIM TEN NUMBERS.

This Will Make Him Pourth on the List o

Maval Constructors, with the Beintive Ban of Lioutenant. The Members of the Merri enc's Band of Merces to Se Advanced WARRINGTON, June 15.-President McKinley has determined not to wait any longer to show his appreciation of the gallant service per formed by Assistant Naval Constructor Richmond Pearson Hobson in successfully blocking the channel of Santiago harbor by sinking the collier Merrimac at its narrowest point. He will send to the Senate te-morrow the nomination of Mr. Hobson for advancement ten num bers in the Construction Corps, thus promoting him to the grade of Naval Constructor, with the relative rank of Lieutenant, Mr. Hobson now holds the relative rank of Lieutenant junior grade. It was the President's original intention to advance Mr. Hobson ten numbers, but in the belief that the brave young officer would be exchanged in a short time he deferred taking action until Mr. Hebson's wishes could be ascertained. The disposition manifested by the Spanish authorities to delay releasing Mr. Hobson and the seven enlisted me who are prisoners with him at Santiago brought about the determination of the President and Secretary Long not to wait any longer to mani fest their appreciation of the young man's here ism, but to give him his reward while his gallan

After consulting with Chief Constructor High orn and other officers who know Mr. Hobson the President decided that Mr. Hobson would probably prefer to remain in the Construction Corps, in which he had the best opportunity to display his scientific attainments. The advance ment will make him fourth on the list of Nava Constructors, with the relative rank of Licuten ant, and eighth from the top of the list of officers of the Construction Corps, He will be ranked only by Chief Constructor Philip Hichborn, whose relative rank is Commodore; Con structor William H. Varney, with the relative rank of Captain: Constructors J. F. Hanscom. J. B. Hoover and Joseph Feaster, with the rela tive rank of Commander; and Constructors F Bowles, J. H. Linnard and J. J. Woodward, with the relative rank of Lieutenants. Every man be will jump is older than himself. Ho son became Assistant Constructor at an early age, and many of the men below him in his present grade are also older than he is.

deed was still fresh in the minds of the Amer

The President will issue warrants to Daniel Montague and George Chassette of the Merrimac's crew for the grades announced in THE SUN this morning. Secretary Long will direct the commanding officers of the ships on which they were serving to rate the other members of the Merrimac's band of heroes as chief petty officers. The negotiations between Admiral Sampson and Gen. Linares at Santiago for the exchange of Hobson and his men for Spanish army officers and soldiers in confinement at Fort Mc-Pherson, Ga., are not progressing as rapidly as the Navy Department desires, but the department I was hopeful to-day that the exchanges

NICTHEROY ARRIVES.

would be effected in a week.

Will Be at Pier 18, East River, This Morning

The Nictheroy, formerly a dynamite cruiser of the Brazilian Navy, henceforth to be the United States eruiser Buffalo, anchored off Scotland Light at 9:35 o'clock last night, She left Newport News on Tuesday in tow of the collier Santuit. To day she will come up to the city and dock at pier 18, E. R., for repairs to her boilers and some additional armor.

The Nictheroy was five years ago, the crack

ship El Cid of the Morgan line, and held the record for the 450-mile voyage of that line over El Norte, El Rio, and El Sud, all of them sister ships to her. She was built later than any of them. When she was transformed from El Cid to the Nictheroy most of the changes needed to turn her into a warship were made, and she is much further advanced toward naval utility than were the other ships of the fleet when they were brought by the United States. She is believed to be in excellent shape except as to her boilers, which are naturally in need of extensive repairs after lying idle and rusting for five years. She was brought here to be repaired because it was found more convenient to move the ship to the bollers than the boilers to the ship.

ASTOR BATTERY PAST ST. LOUIS. A Train of Seven Cars Is Taking It Toward

Sr. Louis, June 15.-The battery equipped by John Jacob Astor passed through St. Louis this morning, going to Manila. It numbers ninety-

nine men and three officers. The battery came in at 7:15 o'clock over the Vandalia line from New York. The train consisted of a Red Vandalia chair car, three sleepers and three baggage cars, one loaded with commissary stores, another with the six guns and the third with field provisions. The last two cars were kept seenrely locked and nobody got a glimpse of the Hotchkiss guns. Before the train came to a full stop the artillerymen filed out and made a rush up the platform as if they were chasing a football instead of a break-

Before the start for the West at 8:15 o'clock the Vandalia chair car was taken off and a Missouri Pacific car substituted. The train was taken in charge by the Missouri Pacific here. There were only two mon indisposed on the train. One of them got a slight sunstroke on he march to the train.

CARRYING FOOD TO BLANCO. ossels Will Leave Jamaica Under the British Flag for Unblockaded Ports.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUR. KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 15.-The Atlas line steamship Adula has been chartered to carry a cargo of provisions to Cienfuegos, and will sail for that port in a few days.

The Spanish steamer Purissima Concepcion. which now has on board a cargo of provisions worth \$70,000 destined for Captain-General Blanco, will sail hence under the British flag and a British transfer, the vessel being made a British subject. The vigil which the United States auxiliary cruiser St. Louis has been keeping outside of Port Royal for some time past in

the hope of catching this prize will consequently be fruitless The Spanish steamer Bonita Estanger, which s now loading, will also change her register and flag and safely sail away for some unblockaded port laden with provisions for the Spanish.

OUR BLOCKADERS AT HAYANA. Blanco Says Site Gune Bon't Permit Familia:

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUS MADRID, June 15 .- An official despatch from Havana says some American ships have attempted to approach nearer to the coast than usual, but in every instance they have been compelled to withdraw by the fire from the forts.

Crooked Cuban News by Way of Madrid. Special Cable Despatch to THE BUR. MADRID, June 15 .- An official telegram selved from Havana says that seventeen Ameri-

n warships are off that city. The condition of the Spanish wounded at Sanlago, the despatch says, is improving. No news has been received at Havana that the Americans have landed at Santiago or that they have renewed their attack upon the Span-ish position there. The number of American warships of Santiago has been decreased on ac-count of several having been damaged and sent way to be repaired. sext meeting of the board. away to be repaired.

The despatch also says that a former insurgent leader is organizing a force of volunteers in behalf of Spain.

Says the Rau the Blockade of Cubs Special Cable Despatch to THE SUR. La Conuna, Spain, June 15 .- The steamer

Miguel Piniiles has arrived here. She claims that she ran the blockade of Cubs. She was in San Juan, Porte Rico, during the bombardment of that place by Admiral Sampeen's squadron, and a shot from one of the American ships passed through her store the water line. The damage was easily repaired.

ENGLAND'S GUN TRADE. Mr. Chamberlain's Brother Says the Pereigs

Office to Milling St. Eproful Cable Desputch to THE SUR. LONDON, June 15,-The annual meeting the great gun-making firm of Kynochs was held at Birmingham to-day. Mr. Arthur Chamberain, Chairman of the company and brother of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, presided.

In the course of his address Mr. Chamberlain declared that the British Foreign Office was ruining the gun trade of England. At one time England had a most valuable trade in guns with Turkey, but all of this trade had been diverted to Germany, which country had obtained £10,000,000 worth of orders in recent years, while the Russian trade, he said, had gone to France. "Our foreign policy," continued Mr. Chambe

lain, "has made us so disliked by foreign Governments that they will not place orders in England, and we shall lose thousands of pounds by the Government's recent order for the seizure of arms along the Persian Gulf. That trade has now gone to the Belgians and Germans and to Mr. Chamberlain's speech is remarkable in

view of the relations of his brother, Joseph, with Lord Salisbury.

GEN. JIMENEE ARRESTED? He Is Supposed to He the Prisoner New Helin the Bahamas.

Special Cable Despatch to THE BUS. NASSAU, N. P., June 15,-The Santo Dominga runboat Presidente arrived here to-day from Monte Cristi, Santo Domingo. On the way here the Presidente stopped at Great Inagua, where one of the leaders of the recent attempt to over-throw the Government of Santo Domingo is held by the British authorities pending the de cision of Gov. Carter as to whether or not he can be extradited.

Gen. Juan Jimenez, who was the prime mover in the recent attempt at revolution in Santo Domingo, and who fled after the Government troops had defeated his party at Monte Cristi, resided for some time at Great Inarna. It is resumed that he made his way back to his home after his defeat, and that he was arrested at the request of the Santo Domingo authorities, who assert that Gen. Jimenez intended to assussinate President Heurenux.

A PLOT TO KILL THE CEARS So the Secret Police Say, but It Is Belleved

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

LONDON, June 15 .- Advices from St. Peters urg tell of a plot to assassinate the Czar which has hitherto not been reported, every effort hav ing apparently been made to keep the matter

It appears that the Czar was recently present at the ceremony of the consecration of a new church at Tsarskoe Selo. Shortly before the time for the event it was discovered that the spot where his Majesty was expected to stand during the ceremony had been undermined, and a large number of arrests were made.

It is believed, however, that the whole affair was a scare arranged by the secret police, in view of the proposed abolition of many of the innumerable lucrative posts enjoyed by members of that body.

COUNT FON ARCO-FALLEY SHOT. flightly Wounded by a Shoemaker Who Mi took Him for Count von Hatzfeldt.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, June 15.—Count von Arco-Valley, the First Secretary of the German Embassy, was shot in front of the German Embassy this afternoon. His assailant fired three shots from a revolver. The man was arrested, but refused to give his name or any explanation of his act. It was learned later that the assailant o Count von Arco-Valley is a shoemaker of the name of Told. He has been living in Lambett for some time past. He says that Count vor Arco-Valley was not the victim he sought. He fired at him because he mistook him for Count von Hatzfeldt, the German Ambassador. Count von Arco-Valley has a slight wound in the hip

SIR HENRY INVING, LL. D. Cambridge Confers a Begree Upon the Actor-His Address.

Special Cubic Despatch to THE SUS LONDON, June 15.—The degree of LL. D. was conferred by Cambridge University to-day upon ir Henry Irving, who delivered his inaugural address as Rede Lecturer at Cambridge, in which office he becomes the successor of John Ruskin, Matthew Arnold, Thomas Huxley, and

Irving's subject was "The Theatre in Relation to the State." He argued that the theatre, being a means of spreading knowledge, its scope in respect of working upon the human character deserved encouragement by the State and municipalities.

FRENCH CARINET RESIGNS. There Is Talk of M. Ribat Porming a New

Mitmistry. Special Cable Despatch to THE BUE. Paris, June 15.-The Cabinet held a meeting this forenoon and determined to place their resignations in the hands of President Faure. Later the Ministers handed in their resignations. There is talk of M. Ribot undertaking the

formation of a new Ministry. Besides M. Ribot, President Faure will con sult with MM, Loubet, Dupuy, Deschanel, and Bourgeois in regard to their undertaking the construction of a Cabinet.

GERMANT'S QUARREL WITH CANADA The Deminten Excluded from Renefits Grante

Special Cable Desputch to Tax Sus. Berlin, June 18 .- The Reichsanzeiger (offial) announces that from July 31 next Great Britain and her colonies, with the excention of Canada, will receive from Germany the benefit of the most favored nation treatment. The exclusion of Canada from these benefits is regarded as a reprisal for Canada's action which brought about the denouncement by Great Britain of the commercial treaties with Germany and Belgium.

AT ODDS ONLY ABOUT EGYPT. til Other Questions Between France and England Cleared Up, Says M. Manotaux.

Special Cable Despatch to THE BUR. LONDON, June 15.-In an interview to-day with the Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign Affairs, said that in the opinion of himself and the other Foreign Office officials the settlement of the Niger dispute cleared all serious question tween France and England except that of Egypt

Special Cable Despatch to Tun Sus. Paris, June 15 .- Etlevant, the Anarchist who, on Jan. 19 last, stabbed M. Renard, an agent of the Paris police, has been sentenced to leath. The crime is said to have been due to the anti-Semite agitation during the Zola trial

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Jersey City Objects to "Fake" Extras. Alderman Murphy of Jersey City has introfuced an ordinance which is intended to prevent the hawking of "fake" extras about the streets by young men from this city. The ordinance provides that non-residents engaging in that business must procure a license at a cost of \$10. The ordinance will be acted on at the

Foster's Bandaman Hauds Over \$80,000 Cash Samuel W. Milbank, the bondsman for Wil lam R. Foster, Jr., appeared at the Criminal Court building resterdsy and handed over \$20,000 in cash to Assistant District Attorney Connell. This was the amount of Foster's bend, which had been declared forfeited, when it be-came known that Foster had fled.

Manhattan Beach Hotel Open. Manhattan Beach will open its twentieth season to-day. It is planned to open the theatre on June 28 with the De Welf hopper company in "El Capitan."

ROBSON AND MIS REN TO BE PRESED. Madrid Authorizes Stanco to Arrango an Mr

change of Pricences. Special Cable Despatch to Tun Sun. LONDON June 15.—A despatch from Madrid says that the Government has authorized Captain-General Blanco to arrange for the exchange of Lieut. Hobson and the other American pris oners who were taken when the Merrimac was sunk at the entrance of Santlago barbor.

MINNESOTA NOMINATIONS.

John Lind Named for Caverner by Three Silver Conventions. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 15.-The allied political forces have been in possession of Minne-apells to-day. Three State Conventions, Demo-

cratic, Populist and the Silver Republican met,

the last two beginning their sessions this morn

ing and were still under way at midnight. At the meeting of the Conference Committee this evening it was decided that the SilverRepublicans should name the candidate for Governor, the Democrats the Secretary of State, Treasthe Democrats the Secretary of State, Treasurer and Supreme Court Judges and the Populists the Lieutenant-Governor, State Auditor, Supreme Court Clerk and Attorney-General.

Accordingly John Lind was nominated for Governor by the three conventions. J. M. Bowler was nominated for Lieutenant-Governor by the Populists and indorsed by the others. J. J. Heinrich was named for Secretary of State, Alexander M. Kinnon for State Treasurer, and Justicea Mitchell, Canty and Buck for the Supreme Court bench. Judge J. N. Kelly was nominated for Attorney-General and F. H. Austin for Cierk et the Supreme Court.

The Midroaders will, it is believed, hold a convention of their own before leaving the hall and place a full ticket in the field, with Dr. Johnson of Willmar as their candidate for Governor.

POPULISTS AT OMAHA.

Confests for Delegates Between Fusionists and Middle-of-the-Rouders.

OMARA, Neb., June 15,-Senator Butler of North Carolina presided to-day when the regular Populist National Committee met. The Middle-of-the-Road Populists were on hand early button bolding the members of the regular committee and endeavoring to win them over to the policy laid down by the Nashville committee of anti-fusionists, which has been in session here denouncing the fusionists in general and the Democrats in particular.

It soon became apparent that there were con At soon became apparent that there were contests from many States, particularly Illinois, lows, Jdaho, Ohio and Oregon. Both the Butlerites and the Middle-of-the-Roaders in these States had delegates whom they wanted to see soated. Senator Butler appointed a committee on credentials to hear the contests. He somehow managed to select a committee made upentirely of fusionists, namely: Senator Allen of Nebraska, ex-Gov. Buchanan of Tennessee, Pomeroy of New Jersey, A. H. Cardin of Kentucky and Congressman C. A. Barlow of California. The cases will be decided to-morrow. Between seventy-five and a hundred proxiss are held in the convention, and there are a large a number of absentees. Apart from the fight over the credentials, the features of the assembling of the committee were the address of welcome by Gov. Holcomb and the response made by Congressman James Gunn of Idaho.

PRIMARY CANVASS A BIG JOB. It Was Put the Election Bureau Six Week Behind in Election Work.

A sigh of relief went up in Mulberry street yesterday afternoon as the last column was footed in the primary election canvass and the matter ended. There had been nearly 30,000 names of delegates, committeemen, &c., to canvass, which meant so many separate columns of
figures to foot up. The officials in the Election
Bureau voted the whole thing the worst job
they had ever tackled. It was a greater task
than falls to the county canvassers in a Presidential election, and had to be done in three
days, which meant practically two days, since
it took all of one day to get in the returns.

As a result the bureau is at least a month and
a half behind with the preparations for the coming fall election. Some of the eighty-five policemen employed on the canvass, who go back on
post to-day, will have to be called in again,
probably, before the season is over to help the
regular staff catch up. names of delegates, committeemen, &c., to canregular staff catch up.

Aldrich Declared Re-elected Senator. NEWPORT, R. L. June 15 .- At noon to-day, in the General Assembly, Gov. Dyer declared Nelson W. Aldrich elected Senater from Rhode

Island to the United States Senate from March A next to succeed himself.

This afternoon the Legislature adjourned, probably never to meet in Newport again, as with the completion of the State House in Providence there will be only one capital city.

Congressman Settle to Be Renominated. FRANKFORT, Ky., June 15.—The Seventh district Democratic Congress Committee has authorized the Chairman to declare Congressman Settle the nomince after July 16. Congressman R. W. Taylor Renominated.

LISBON, O., June 15.—Robert W. Taylor has been renominated for Congress in McKinley's listrict. The nomination is equivalent to an election. SANGUINARY TALE OF BROWN.

He Had a Fight at a Fandange, He Says, and Killed Thirtren Mexicans. St. Louis, June 15 .- Thirteen dead Mexicans is the score claimed by John H. Brown, an Amer ican who was recently reported to have been killed at Satillo, Mexico. Brown arrived here to-day, having escaped from the guards who ceptured him at Trevino and were taking him a ceptured him at Trevino and were taking him a prisoner to Satillo.

Brown's story is that at a fandango at Satillo he was attacked by a jealous Mexican and knives and pistols were brought into play. The Mexicans made a united attack upon him. When the smoke of battle had cleared away thirteen Mexicans were found to be dead or dying. Brown fied to Trevino, where he was captured.

tured.

When he escaped in the mountains he wandered about for many days, often with nothing to eat but wild berries. Finally he made his way afoot to Eagle Pass, where he took the train for home. He shows a Mexican paper containing an account of the fight at the fandango, and other documents corroborating his story.

BIG LINER OFERDUE.

The Kalser Friedrich's Maiden Trip Muct Slower Than the Wilhelm der Grouss's.

The new North German Lloyd steamship Kai ser Friedrich, which sailed from Southampton on June 8 for this port, had not been reported at 1 o'clock this morning. She was designed to bent the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, the crack of the North German Lloyd fleet, and the swiftest merchant vessel afloat, by half a knot an hour. It is likely that the Kaiser Friedrich has had trouble with her machinery, which is usually incidental to the maiden voyage of a big twin serse built for record beating.

The North German Lloyd people did not expect her to equal the whenomenal first voyage of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, because of the fog off the Banks and the long course nocessary in this, the iceberg season. The Kaiser Friedrich is now really overdue. To equal the maiden voyage of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, she should have been off Sandy Hook Lightship on Tuesday afternoon. She was out seven days and about eight hours at 1 o'clock this noorbies. on June 8 for this port, had not been reported at afternoon. She was out seven days and about sight hours at 1 o'clock this morning.

FOUND DEAD IN THE SHREWSBURY Mrs. Cranmer Was on Her Way to See Ho.

Husband at Sandy Hook. LONG BRANCH, N. J., June 15, -The body of Mrs. George Cranmer of Manchester, Ocean Mrs. George Cranmer of Manchester. Ocean county, was found in the Shrewsbury River at Highland Beach to-day. She left home yesterday to visit her husband, who is an engineer at Sandy Hook. While passing Highland Beach she was taken with a fit. After being resuscitated she started to walk toward the Hook. No one has been found who saw her alive afterward.

Amasa A. Barringer, a composer and teacher of music, died at his home in Newark yesterday morning. He was a hother of Dr. William N. Barringer, who recently was the Superintendent of Public Schools in Newark, and of Emma A. Barringer of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union. He was a war veteran and a member of Lincoin Post, G. A. R. inember of Lincoin Post, 6. A. 15.

Philip Lucas died on Tuesday at his home in Mount Vernon, 62 years old. He was born in New York. He assisted in establishing the first gas company in Mount Vernou, and was afterward identified with the East Chester Gaslight

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Solomen Mead, aged 90 years, died at his home in Greenwich. Conn., on Tuesday night. Mr. Mead was a lineal descendant on both sides of John Mead, an Englishman, who came to America and settled in Massachusetts in 1642.

Mr. Mead was born in Greenwich on Jan. 15, 1808. He held many town offices.

George H. Schmolze, Gi Scars old, a well-known resident of the Greenville section of Jersey City, died on Tuesday night at his home, 150 Hose avenue, of diabetes. Mr. Schmolze was engaged for many years in the lithographing business in this city, and, with his late brother Charles, owned one of the largest plants in the city.



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The President of Brown May He Superinten-

ANDREWS TO GO TO CHICAGO.

dent of Public Schools There. PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 15 .- Although President Andrews denied this morning having received any offer from Chicago for the place of Superintendent of the Public Schools of that city, the news that he would be selected was not unexpected. He was approached on the subject six months ago, although nothing definite came of the matter then. He has been serving for about that length of time on the commission engaged in examination and renovation of the schools of that city, and consequently has been brought in close touch with the educational department of the city. Fresident Andrews said to-day that he had not received any offer from Chicago.

"My information that I have been chosen comes from the newspapers." he said. "I was spoken to on the matter about aix months ago," he added alowly. "You see the schools of Chicago are now in a period of transition, you might say. A commission has been appointed, on this, similar in its aims and scope to similar commissions in other places, and I have been serving on that commission as a sorb of honorary member. I have been in correspondence with them and have given some suggestions of changes. At that time I was told that the position would probably be open." You were given to understand that the position would probably be offered to you although no formal tender or statement was then made?" "Well, res, perhaps so. But it would not be well to speak of that," he added. "I have received no offer yet."

"Will you accept such an offer if it is made!" he was asked.

"I might get in a hole if I answered that," He has been serving for about that

ne was arked.
"I might get in a hole if I answered that,"
said President Andrews, with a smile. "Suppose after I had said 'Yes' the offer was not
made, where would I be then? I cannot tell
about that."

HEAT DROVE HIM TO SUICIDE. Nineteen-Year-Old Arthur May of Brooklyn

Shoots Bimself While Temperarily Insane. Arthur May, 19 years old, shot and killed himself yesterday morning in the office of his father, Jacob May, the iron founder, at 805 De Kalb avenue, Brooklyn. He lived with his parents at 909 Lafayette avenue and worked in the Excelsior brewery in Pulaski street. His father intended to start the young man in busi-ness for himself when he had mastered the de-

tails.

Instead of going to the brewery vesterday morning young May went to his father's office, to which he had a private key, and shot himself in the right temple. When John Herdt, the office boy, arrived shortly before 7 o'clock, he found May lying dead on the floor, with the revolver by his side. The young man's family were preparing to go on a day's outing when they heard of the suicide. The mother was so much overcome that a physician had to be summoned.

much overcome that a physician had to be summoned.

The young man had been working very hard in the brewery recently and suffered severely from the heat on Monday and Tuesday. This is supposed to have temporarily unbalanced his mind. He was a giant in size and strength, being nearly six feet high and weighing about 200 pounds.

Two Kill Themselves with Gas. Fritz Diess, a delicatessen dealer who had not been successful in business, committed

suicide last night at his home, 761 East 167th street. Diess often talked of killing himself, and told his wife that there would be insurance mough to keep her and the six children going for enough to keep her and the six children going for some time. He made an unsuccessful trip downtown after work on Tuesday. Yesterday he told his wife he was going downtown again, Instead, he went down into the cellar and inhaled gas through a rubber tube. One of his children found the body late in the afternoon. Alexander Rees of 703 East 135th street, killed himself with illuminating gas yesterday evening at his home. He and his wife separated about fifteen months ago, and he has been living with his sister. Mrs. Kane, and his little boy. He sent them out for a waik before he took the gas.

Hent Lends to Sulcide, Frederick Plenge, a cigarmaker, of 214 East Eighty-first street, committed suicide by shoot ng himself in the head yesterday with a .38calibre revolver. He died shortly after reach-ing the Presbyterian Hospital. He had been suffering from the severe heat. He heaves a widow and two s.ns. Both boys are in Battery B, Light Artillery, in Washington, D. C.

Milled Himself Elefore Mis Sweetheart.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 15,-Eli Mitchell, aged 19 rears, son of a well-to-do farmer, shot and killed himself last evening in the presence of his sweetheart while the two were in a burgy driving along the road. Mitchell had just left Newton, where he had cultised with the recruiting of-floer as a member of the Fourth Illinois Infantry, and was to leave Thursday for Jacksonville, Fla.

Florist Vogt Hangs Himself.

David Vogt, a florist of Middle Village, L. L.

nanged himself in one of his greenhouses late

on Tuesday night. He had a wife and children and several grandchildren in Germany. He re-ceived a letter containing photographs of his wife and children on Tuesday morning and ap-

peared to be downcast all that day. He was 58 years old. Took Pelson in a Vacant Let. A man, about 35 years old, went into a vacant lot at Monmouth and Grand streets, Jersey City, last night, and took a stose of carbolic acid. He was discovered alive, but he stod before he could be taken to the City Hospital. He is smooth-faced. He wore dark clothing and compress gaiters, and had \$1.15.

Milled Himself Because His Wife Died. Emil Feist, 32 years old, a clerk, who lived at 32 Greenwich street, committed suicide yester-

day by shooting himself through the right tem-ple with a revolver. Feist was married a year ago and his wife died last Saturday. Ever since Feist had been despondent. Another Riendike Company Going to quit. Trade is dull these days for Klondike companies, and another one of them, the New York and Alaska Gold Exploration and Trading Com-

and Alexandray of 44 Broadway, is about to cease business. It is expitalized at \$1,000,000. Cheates R. Hoar is Fresident and John R. Weeks Scoretary. Oliver Sumner Teall was one of the pre-

Good Price for Jersey City Bonds. The Jersey City Board of Finance yesterday sold \$100,000 of public school bonds to E. H. Rollins & Sons of Boston at 106.03 and accrued interest. This is the highest price ever received by the city for bonds. Fourteen bids were re-ceived, all of them above par.

New Harvard Prefessor of International Law. HOSTON, June 15.—The Harvard overseers have established a new chair of international aw and have elected E. H. Strobel, LL B., pro-

